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Arena proposal heats up

SPORTS
Calgary Flames expected to ask city for \$200M



Robson Fletcher
Metro | Calgary

The Calgary Flames plan to unveil "high-level" information next Tuesday about a project dubbed "CalgaryNEXT," adding fuel to ongoing speculation about the team's plans for a new arena and what it may ask of taxpayers as part of the proposal.

"We would like to share a proposal for a project that will make all Calgarians and Albertans proud," King wrote in an email to season-ticket holders, copies of which circulated online Wednesday. "This has the potential to be one of Calgary's most transformative projects at a vital time in our city's history."

A source with

knowledge of the proposal told Metro the Flames are expected to ask the city for roughly \$200 million toward the multi-use facility, which would not only provide a home to the NHL team and the Calgary Stampeders, but also include a multi-sport fieldhouse for public use.

The city has already approved a concept plan — but hasn't secured funding — to build a new fieldhouse at Foot-hills Athletic Park with a price tag "in the range of \$200 million," the source noted.

The idea would be to instead incorporate that into the Flames' project in the West Village area, just west of downtown, as opposed to building a "standalone" facility at Foot-hills, the source said.

In his email, King said more detailed information is to be released Tuesday.

"This is not a formal launch of the project, but it is an opportunity for us to share what has been done to date and introduce our vision for the future," he wrote.

MEETING HELD
City council met behind closed doors in March to discuss a proposal for a multi-use facility and Mayor Naheed Nenshi confirmed in April he met with King directly to talk about the idea.

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IN BRIEF

Man charged with assault on flight from Calgary

A 20-year-old Nova Scotia man was charged Tuesday with committing a sexual assault on a WestJet plane bound from Calgary after it landed in Halifax.

Flight 226 arrived at the Halifax Stanfield International Airport around 5:45 p.m., said Halifax RCMP spokesman Cpl. Greg Church on Wednesday morning. Church said RCMP arrested the 20-year-old male passenger on arrival in relation to the alleged sexual assault against a 69-year-old woman from British Columbia. The man was released from custody on a promise to appear in court on Oct. 21 and is facing a charge of sexual assault.

PHILIP CROUCHER/METRO HALIFAX

Black bear cub put down after mother, sibling killed

Parks Canada says a black bear cub had to be put down after its mother was struck by a vehicle on the Trans-Canada Highway. The parks agency says a female black bear and one of her cubs were hit and killed in Mount Revelstoke National Park on Aug. 5. Parks officials say a surviving cub was only two months old and probably wouldn't have survived on its own. Jacolyn Daniluck says staff followed standard protocol and took humane action. Parks Canada reminds motorists to pay special attention for wildlife when driving through national parks.

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Diamond joke had flaws, advocates say

TROY SHOPPE JEWELLERS

Store owner maintains the message didn't go 'overboard'



Helen Pike
Metro | Calgary

A Calgary business in Bridge-land has changed a tongue-in-cheek sign, dubbed by some to be sexist, after it left a mark with women in the community. "Sometimes it's okay to throw rocks at girls" read the sign in front of Troy Shoppe Jewellers for a couple of weeks before a "couple" of complaints forced the store to change its so-called "lighthearted" advertisement.

"We have people that were walking to work downtown literally stop in and say how funny they thought it was," said owner David Blitt.

He added it was several of his female employees who were behind the idea for the fun signs, which have featured a variety of cheeky slogans at different times.

"We're not going overboard and I don't think that was overboard," Blitt said.

But Sandra Wong of Feminism Calgary, a collective hub of



The sign in front of Troy Shoppe Jewellers was changed to this "Lighten Up" message after complaints about its earlier "Sometimes it's okay to throw rocks at girls" message (inset).

ROBSON FLETCHER/METRO INSET: CONTRIBUTED



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New message on store sign

feminists in the city, said what to many is a joke could be a very different story for others. "For someone who is going

through a crisis and may be dealing with serious issues in their lives, seeing a sign like this can actually be very harmful and very hurtful," Wong said. "Even though it may have been a joke or a funny kind of anecdote, I think the core of the statement was still violence against women."

Wong said with many other "progressive" businesses in the neighbourhood — as well as social services for women — it's troubling to see one retailer with what she described as an

attitude set in the past. Blitt said he was aware of one women's support organization in the area, but said their clients don't tend to walk by his store.

"Are we offending them by saying that? I don't know," Blitt said. "Find me an area where it doesn't have a resource of some kind that could potentially be misconstrued."

The sign has since been replaced with a new message: "Lighten up YYC. We love women. We aim to make you sparkle the way you deserve."

CRIME

Local man charged after bank robbery

A man is facing charges following a bank robbery and high-speed getaway attempt in the city's southwest. Police said they responded to a call around 3:30 p.m. Tuesday afternoon after a man entered an ATB Financial located on the 900 block of 85 Street. The suspect gave the teller a note and was given an undisclosed amount.

Police say the suspect then left the bank and attempted a high speed getaway in a red hatchback when he was observed by a police vehicle which did not engage with the offender.

A police helicopter was able to observe the vehicle from a distance and aided Calgary police on the ground as they pursued.

Police said the offender caused "two minor collisions" and the suspect's vehicle also "became involved in a collision at the intersection of 17 Avenue and Sarcee Trail SW."

After the collision, police said, "the suspect, as well as a female passenger who had been in the vehicle, fled on foot."

Officers arrived on scene and took both individuals into custody.

James Andrew Boisse, 31, of Calgary, has been charged with one count of robbery and is scheduled in court Aug. 13. Police said further charges are expected.

The release said the female passenger has been released and "is not expected to be charged in relation to this incident." METRO



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Prices at Calgary pumps vary wildly. These were the posted prices for regular gasoline at two different stations on Wednesday afternoon. JEREMY SIMES/METRO

Calgary's gas-price gap is causing grief

FUEL

Costs bound to rise with reduced supply, says analyst



Jeremy Simes
For Metro | Calgary

Some people were feeling the sting at the pumps Wednesday afternoon, while others seemed

to get away lucky.

Depending on where you filled up Wednesday, gas prices across the city ranged from 95.4 cents per litre to 122.9 cents. And by the looks of it, you didn't have to drive too far to fetch a deal.

Why the big price gap?

Some gas stations are selling off cheaper inventory they bought last week, said Dan McTeague, petroleum analyst with gasbuddy.com.

Prices won't get any rosier, he added, as one large U.S. refinery and another seven suspended

operations for unspecified reasons, forcing gas prices to grow by about 10 cents across Western Canada. There's more demand and little supply.

Filling up at one of the pricier stations (122.9 cents per litre) — the Petro-Canada at 177 Country Hills Blvd. NW — Zoe Lumsden said she was going to run out of gas within two minutes, leaving her no choice but to pay more than she'd wanted.

"This makes me cry a little bit — it's horrible," she said. "I work a minimum-wage job and

I'm a student, so it's constantly a struggle to know whether or not I have enough money for gas."

About 10 kilometres west of that gas station, another Petro-Canada at 150 Citadel Way NW had gas at 96.4 cents per litre.

At those pumps, Victor Delnero said he was lucky he filled up at one of the more affordable stations.

"I can't believe it's (\$1.20) in other parts of the city," he said. "I feel pretty bad for those who have to fill up at more expensive stations."

FATALITY

Motorcyclist killed in southwest crash



Lucie Edwardson
Metro | Calgary

Police shut down a section of Old Banff Coach Road at Paterson Boulevard in southwest Calgary after a collision left one man dead Wednesday afternoon.

Det. Andy Nguyen with the Calgary Police Service said officers responded to the collision between an SUV and a motorcycle just after 2:15 p.m.

Naomi Nania, spokeswoman for EMS, said paramedics attended the scene and transported the male motorcycle driver, in his early 40s, to Foothills Hos-

pital in "unstable and critical condition."

Nguyen confirmed that the driver died in hospital.

"The motorcycle driver was injured in the collision and has subsequently passed away," said Nguyen.

Nania also said paramedics also transported two small children to the Alberta Children's Hospital for "precautionary reasons."

"When children are involved, we always like to err on the side of caution," she said.

The driver of the SUV was uninjured.

Nguyen said it is unclear at this time if speed was a factor.

POLICY

Overdoses prompt festival review

Calgary is undertaking a review of the Chasing Summer electronic dance music festival and the broader civic policy governing such events in the wake of 17 people being treated for drug overdoses last weekend, the deputy mayor revealed Wednesday.

"We have to decide as a city if we want to provide a venue for this kind of event to occur," Coun. Diane Colley-Urquhart said in a statement. "I am pleased to announce that both a short-term review of this event is already underway along with a more comprehensive review of our Festival and Event Policy."

Paramedics transported 17 patients from this year's festival

“That is concerning when one mass event can cause that much impact on the emergency medical system.”

Coun. Diane Colley-Urquhart

to nearby hospitals due to drug and alcohol consumption.

In most cases, patients had ingested large amounts of alcohol along with MDMA, marijuana, or, in some instances, cocaine, GHB or ketamine. METRO

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Calgary's historic Cecil Hotel to be demolished

FINDINGS

Investigations reveal that fire and floods have ruined building



Lucie Edwardson
Metro | Calgary

A historic building in Calgary's East Village will be no more, come this fall. The Cecil Hotel has been slated for demolition by the Calgary Municipal Land Corporation (CMLC), "based on the findings of two new due diligence investigations," the CMLC said in a release Wednesday.

The CMLC said it is "working hard to remove from the building any salvageable elements with historical value," in the days leading up to the demolition. "The most important of these is the Cecil Hotel's large neon scaffold sign," said Michael Brown, CMLC's president and CEO. He said the sign will be removed Friday at 10:30 a.m. and then restored to its initial glory before they find a new home for it.

Coun. Druh Farrell was saddened by the loss of the historic building and said the city doesn't have the best track record for salvaging historic sites.

"Our last remaining heritage buildings are very rare and precious," she said. "We have poor

"We should make every attempt to save what we can."

Coun. Druh Farrell

history of saving these buildings." Farrell said she would still like to see what options are available to salvage parts of the Cecil. "We should make every attempt to save what we can," she said. "I would still like to have a better understanding of the options, beyond simple demolition."

Brown said the CMLC was aware that many Calgarians hoped the Cecil, which is one of six pre-First World War hotels still standing in the city, would be saved, but said due to "decades of neglect plus the ravages of fire and flood, rehabilitation and restoration simply aren't feasible options."

He said the CMLC will be applying for a demolition permit this fall after crews have removed all hazardous material and what can be salvaged from the building. Bob van Wegen, a board member for the Calgary Heritage Initiative, said they are disappointed by the decision.

"I would have liked to have seen the facade of the building being used for the new development but that doesn't look like it is going to happen," he said. Van Wegen added that the CMLC has a "good track record" for preserving history in Calgary.



Then and now: The Cecil Hotel as seen in the early 21st century at top, and in the early 20th century at bottom. TOP: CONTRIBUTED / CALGARY HERITAGE INITIATIVE. BOTTOM: METRO FILE PHOTO

+ TROUBLED PAST

Hotel has been plagued by fires and floods, police presence and murder

● **1979:** Two employees were shot to death for \$100 in the till.

● **1982:** A fire engulfed the top floor of the Cecil Hotel

● **2007:** Police report visiting the Cecil more than 1,500 times in that one year.

● **October 2008:** Police found the body of 23-year-old Derrick Lee Four Horns inside the building. He had been stabbed to death.

● **December 2008:** The Cecil has its business licence revoked. The City of Calgary then purchased the Cecil from Sam Silberman for \$10.9 million with no plans for the building.

● **2009:** An investigation "deteriorated beams, rotten floor areas and deteriorating exterior brickwork."

● **2013:** Floodwaters ravaged the city in June 2013 taking "a heavy toll on the building's structural integrity. To this day the building continues to experience water damage and is "infested with mould."

● **May 2015:** Williams Engineering Canada did a "structural condition assessment and deemed the Cecil to be in poor condition due to foundation settlement, deteriorated shoring beams, missing shoring posts and corroded steel structural elements."

● **August 2015:** Donald Luxton Associates completed a heritage assessment that found "very little of the building is intact and in good enough condition to save in its entirety."

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Stephen Harper speaks to supporters at a rally Wednesday in Edmonton. KEVIN TUONG/FOR METRO

Harper continues to needle Notley

POLITICS

Premier has no economic plan besides raising taxes, says PM



Ryan Tumilty
Metro | Edmonton

Stephen Harper took direct aim at the provincial government at a campaign rally in Edmonton on Wednesday, saying the country can't take the same risk with the NDP that Alberta just did.

Speaking to a warehouse filled with Conservative sup-

porters, Harper said he knew Alberta is in tough and, while he has no control over oil prices, he is confident the province can weather the storm.

"We have seen such times in the energy sector before. Albertans have always bounced back stronger than ever, and I am confident they will do so again," Harper said.

While he conceded Premier Rachel Notley's government can do no more about oil prices than he can, Harper said the NDP should be showing more concern for the state of the economy.

"Where is their economic action plan? Where is their budget?" he asked the crowd, criticizing Notley for post-

poning her budget until late October.

He said the only thing the provincial government had done for the economy was to harm it with tax increases, something he argued the party's federal cousins would surely do as well.

"We don't know what surprises are in store, but we know the NDP has already started raising taxes because raising taxes is in the DNA of the NDP," he said. "Those tax hikes are already costing jobs."

Harper said that in the current economy, there is no room for an orange wave nationally.

"We cannot afford to take this kind of NDP gamble with our entire economy."

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APPS FOR ALBERTA

Province debuts online portal, awards \$70K



Robson Fletcher
Metro | Calgary

Alberta launched a new "Open Government" online portal Wednesday billed as a "single connection point" for anyone looking for public information.

"The information and social-media revolution changed the way people interact, including their interactions with gov-

ernment and, with this step, we are keeping pace," Service Alberta Minister Deron Bilous told reporters.

At the same time, Bilous announced the winners of \$70,000 in prize money as part of the Apps For Alberta contest, which saw dozens of third-party developers use existing open data sets from the provincial government to create software for public use.

An app called Make the

Grade, designed by Devon Sigurdson from Darkhorse Analytics of Edmonton, won the two top prizes of \$30,000 each. The app allows Albertans "to visually explore, filter and compare diploma exam results across the province."

An app called Risco, designed by University of Calgary students, won the \$5,000 people's choice award. It helps outdoor enthusiasts find information on risks like grizzly

bear zones and active wildfires.

And an app named Live Alberta, designed by Karo Castro-Wunsch, won the best student app award, worth \$5,000. It provides easy-to-view information on how viable various municipalities are to visit, live, and start a business.

Bilous said the government will continue to expand its open-data catalogue, which included 1,932 data sets as of Wednesday.



Construction begins on the Huntington Hills skatepark, which is geared towards both bowl riders and technical street style users. AARON CHATHA/METRO

City ollies up on skateparks

DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

Three new facilities may resolve gaps in recreation



Aaron Chatha
Metro | Calgary

Construction has begun on three new skateparks in Calgary. One will serve the areas of Chinook Park, Kelvin Grove and Eagle Ridge. The other two will be built in Huntington Hills and Southwood, respectively.

Officials expect to complete construction by late fall.

The city currently only has one permanent skatepark: Shaw Millennium Park.

"Currently in the city, there are about 50,000 wheeled sport participants, including BMX and skateboarders," said Thomas Hansen, manager of capital and asset management in Calgary recreation. "These parks will begin to address the gap in facilities within the city and the number of participants."

Zev Klymochko, co-chair of the Calgary Association of Skateboarding Enthusiasts, said skateboarders often leave the city to visit skateparks in smaller communities like Cochrane, Airdrie and Strathmore.

"All these smaller centres have really nice modern skateparks that are well-designed, easily accessible," Klymochko said. "It'll be really nice that we don't have to drive half-an-hour to an hour to ac-

cess modern skatepark terrain. We'll have it right in our city."

Klymochko said it's a step in the right direction to catch up with cities like Edmonton, Winnipeg and Vancouver, which larger have a much larger network of skateparks.

For families and youth, skateparks offer a safe area to get into the unstructured sport. Greg Fines, a Calgary parent who often skateboards with his wife and three children, said it makes the sport more accessible to kids who don't want to be caught on the sidewalk or in traffic.

"When finding your own place, you're usually not welcome to roll up and skate-board," he said. "Some people are worried that it leaves marks behind, it's destructive to property. So, the skatepark is designed for that purpose and it's contained. That seems to make everyone else more comfortable."

This is only phase one of the city's plans to build more skateparks. Officials say they are talking with community associations to choose locations for the next phase, which includes areas in the northeast.



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Gun Sculpture, by Sandra Bromley, at the Glenbow Museum in Calgary. JENNIFER FRIESEN/FOR METRO

Sculpture aiming for peace

GLENBOW MUSEUM

Artwork made of more than 7,000 firearms

The artist behind one of the more provocative and unusual pieces currently on display at Calgary's Glenbow Museum will take visitors literally inside her massive sculpture, built out of thousands of decommissioned firearms.

Titled simply Gun Sculpture, the piece by Sandra Bromley is described as "a monumental testament to the violent legacy of firearms" and consists of more than 7,000 former weapons.

"Acting as a symbol of world peace, international harmony and universal healing, the Gun Sculpture serves as a beacon of hope for those affected by violence and destruction,"

Bromley said in a statement.

She will give a tour of the sculpture at the museum on Saturday between 11 a.m. and noon.

Then, at noon, Dr. Steven Aung, a Chinese-medicine physician and teacher, will perform a Buddhist blessing on the sculpture.

"Blessing this sculpture will free it of the negative energy that is attached to the decommissioned weapons used in its construction, ultimately allowing those who encounter the sculpture to enter an atmosphere of awareness and reflection," Bromley said.

"The hope is that the Gun Sculpture will provide an opportunity to reflect on the past and help to inspire peace and appreciation for one another in the future."

Admission is free for Glenbow members and \$5 for non-members. METRO

IN BRIEF

Release revoked for man who shot toddler

A man who wounded a toddler in a drive-by shooting on a central Alberta reserve is back behind bars.

The Parole Board of Canada has revoked statutory release for Christopher Crane. It says the 25-year-old was arrested after staff at a community residential facility found him drinking alcohol and smoking marijuana.

Crane had also been drinking and doing drugs on the Samson Cree Nation in April 2008 when he fired a rifle at a home he thought belonged to a rival gang member. A bullet went through a wall and struck 23-month-old Asia Saddleback in the chest. Crane pleaded guilty and was sentenced to seven years and five months.

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GOVERNMENT CARE

Report out into girl's overdose death

Alberta's child advocate is calling for improvements after an eight-year-old in a group home died from an overdose of sleeping medication.

A report from Del Graff released Wednesday said that the unidentified girl had complex needs and was on various medications, including the sedative chloral hydrate.

A worker at the group home found her unresponsive in bed in early 2014.

An autopsy showed the child had too much chloral hydrate in her system. Police investigated but could not determine how the overdose happened.

"While all children who come into government care have some level of vulnerability, those with complex behavioural, developmental and/or medical needs are especially vulnerable," wrote Graff. He said the provincial government needs to ensure all caregivers follow medica-

tion policies. An internal government investigation after the death found gaps in the group home's medication procedures, the report said, although the home has since made changes.

Graff further recommended the province have a wider range of specialized caregivers and train all frontline child-intervention caseworkers to better understand children with disabilities.

The girl, who was taken into

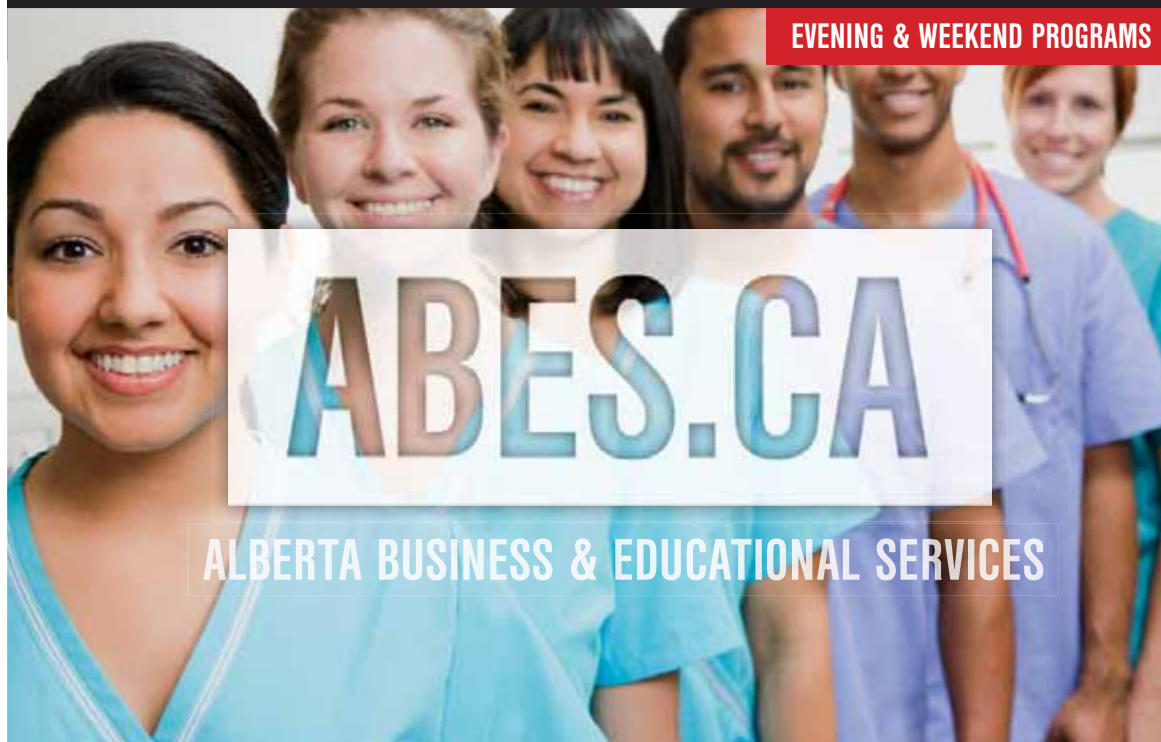
care when she was seven, wasn't toilet trained and hadn't been in school. She had a risk of choking while eating and required a special diet and constant supervision. She was diagnosed with severe social and intellectual disabilities as well as motor deficits and language problems. She was further assessed as being a risk to herself and others because of tantrums that lasted up to two hours.

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Y program aims to collect 12,000 pounds in gifts of food



Jennifer Friesen
For Metro

With grins on their faces and bags of food in their fists, seven kids jumped out of a cheese wagon at the Calgary Food Bank on Wednesday.

Since 1997, the YMCA's Kids in Motion program has held a food drive every summer. They collected a record of 11,000 pounds of food last year, and this year they're striving for 12,000 lbs.

Ten-year-old Ayushi Choudhary spent Wednesday morning running up to houses to collect the donations, hoping to fill up the bus. She said it gives her a warm feeling inside to know that there are good people in the world.

"I see a lot of people on the



A group of seven children dropped off 2,500 pounds of food donations at the Calgary Food Bank on Wednesday. JENNIFER FRIESEN/FOR METRO

streets and I want to help them, but I don't really know how," she said. "So this program makes me feel like I'm doing my part to help the people

who need it."

The Calgary Food Bank's clientele is 43 per cent children, and spokesperson Shawna Ogston said having other

children relate to the need is "really great to see."

Ogston also said the Kids in Motion food drive is coming at an important time this year.

"Hunger doesn't take a rest in the summer, but donations tend to just trickle in because we're all so busy."

Shawna Ogston

Since last fall, she has seen more and more people coming to the food bank, putting a bigger demand on their shelves.

"We read about different layoffs in the paper every day, so we know this isn't the end of it," she said.

"Hunger doesn't take a rest in the summer, but donations tend to just trickle in because we're all so busy and we're enjoying the beautiful weather. So food drives like this really make a difference."

The donations collected on Wednesday totalled 2,500 pounds but, with more coming in on Thursday, Ogston is hopeful they can make their goal.

IN BRIEF

Suspected auto thief reaches new heights in attempt to evade RCMP

A man accused of ramming a police cruiser during a 100-kilometre chase appears to have marked a first for a central Alberta RCMP detachment by hiding in a tree to elude capture.

Mounties at Evansburg got a call last Thursday about a stolen vehicle in the summer village of Seba Beach, about 90 kilometres west of Edmonton.

The driver was spotted swerving from shoulder to shoulder when officers caught up to him, and he took off when they tried to pull him over.

Police say that after ramming one of their vehicles, the driver sped through several fields near the community of Niton Junction on the Yellowhead Highway, west of Seba Beach, and eventually stopped before fleeing on foot.

Officers aided by a police dog service team eventually found him hiding in a tree.

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Embracing the nonsense

EXHIBITION

Gallery pokes fun at works that are hard to interpret



Jeremy Simes
For Metro | Calgary

Laugh a little, seriously.

Contemporary Calgary's new exhibition, *Why Can't Minimal*, finds humour in minimalism, a style that might be expressed a tad too seriously, said the exhibit's curator John Hampton.

Hampton asks: Who hasn't gone to a show feeling a little uncomfortable trying to decode the "meaning" behind a white cube?

He hopes to ease those concerns, showing the pieces for what they are: Art that will make you smirk. But feel free to ponder, if that's your thing, he said.



John Hampton curated *Why Can't Minimal*, a collection that explores minimalist art using humour. JEREMY SIMES/FOR METRO

"I feel like (minimalism is) an intimidating type of art for people outside the art world," he said. "There's this expectation that you're supposed to get what (the art) is saying, but it's really not giving you anything."

He said the pieces aren't meant to make viewers laugh, but put them in funny or preposterous situations where they "get it."

Hampton said the beauty of

looking at artwork is that it can flood the brain with a lot of questions — but that can prompt anxiety, causing viewers to disassociate altogether.

He said people should embrace that nonsense and let the art wash over them.

"Humour and art are very similar experiences," he said. "If you try to explain a joke, it's no longer funny."

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PM briefed in part: Wright

SENATE SCANDAL

Witness leads court through Duffy scenario from inside

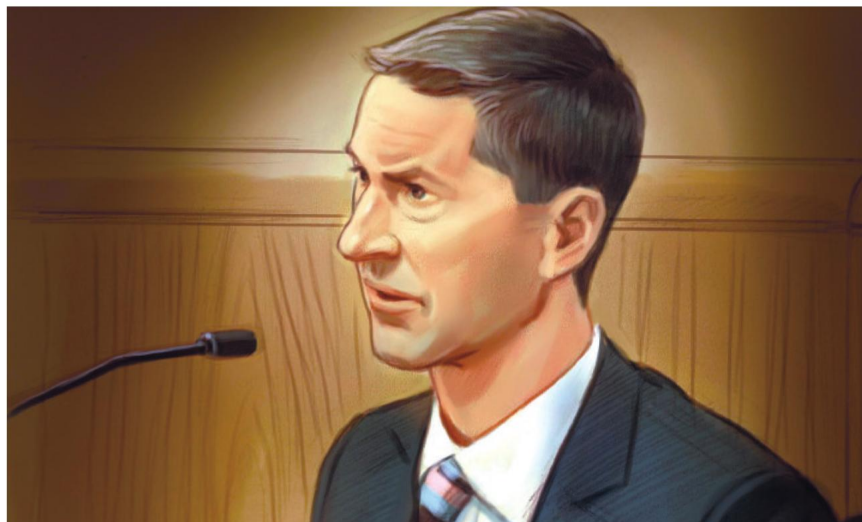
Inside the Prime Minister's Office, they called it the "scenario for repayment" — a plan that would make the Mike Duffy expenses scandal quietly go away, without anyone suggesting the senator had done wrong.

Nigel Wright, the marquee witness at Duffy's fraud, breach of trust and bribery trial on Wednesday, said he didn't tell former boss Stephen Harper that the deal involved someone else paying Duffy's contested expenses.

But several of Harper's closest aides were privy to the drawn-out, often tense negotiations that went on behind the scenes in 2013. Harper was briefed in general, Wright said.

"I told (Harper) that Sen. Duffy was agreeing to repay; I gave him — in very broad terms, not in detail — the media lines," Wright testified.

Duffy has pleaded not guilty



Nigel Wright, former chief of staff to Prime Minister Stephen Harper, testifies during trial in Ottawa on Wednesday, in this artist's sketch. GREG BANNING/THE CANADIAN PRESS

to 31 charges in connection with his Senate office, living and travel expenses. Wright's testimony goes to his secret \$90,000 repayment of Duffy's expenses, which has been framed by the Crown as being orchestrated by Duffy.

Wright, who flew in from

London where he now works, answered Crown attorney Jason Neubauer's questions with long, detailed answers. He recalled dates and specific phone calls and admitted to feeling anger toward Duffy at different junctures — and ultimately regret.

"If it became public, I thought it would be somewhat embarrassing," he said. "But there were a whole lot of connotations associated with it that I didn't really think through. If I had, I might not have done it."

Wright's highly anticipated testimony was accompanied by

426 pages of internal emails that were filed with the court.

From the moment the media began asking about the senator's residency issues in late 2012, Duffy dug in his heels.

The senator filed for expenses on the basis that he was travelling and living away from his "principal" residence in Prince Edward Island, even though he lived most of the time in Ottawa.

He told Wright the Senate rules and forms were not clear and repaying the money would put him at risk of being declared not qualified to sit in the upper chamber.

While Wright said Duffy might have arguably been legally entitled to the expenses, he felt that common sense dictated that he shouldn't claim for expenses for somewhere he "hung his hat at night."

Ultimately, Duffy and the PMO reached an agreement that would see his expenses repaid by the party, the Deloitte audit curtailed, the government defend Duffy's right to represent Prince Edward Island and Duffy keep his mouth shut about everything.

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CYCLOSPORA

Outbreak remains mystery

Some sort of fresh produce has been making a number of Canadians sick this summer. But with grocery stores a veritable cornucopia of fruits and vegetables, how do public health experts figure out what is to blame?

It ain't easy. In fact, it takes a lot of dogged work to figure out the cause of something like Cyclospora, which has sickened more than 80 people in Ontario, British Columbia, Alberta and Quebec this summer.

And given the fact that it's actually been several weeks since the most recent person to be diagnosed became ill, chances are decent the source of this outbreak is going to remain a mystery.

Ontario has reported the lion's share of the cases in this outbreak is caused by a parasite called Cyclospora. The bug only infects people, triggering a gastrointestinal illness called cyclosporiasis. Its presence suggests some human feces came in contact with the produce carrying it.

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NDP, Liberals respond to Duffy trial

ELECTION 2015

Leaders taking different approaches

The NDP wasted little time Wednesday in using the return of Mike Duffy as political leverage against the Conservatives, while Liberal Leader Justin Trudeau seemed to want to

wash his hands of it.

With Nigel Wright, Stephen Harper's former chief of staff, on hand to testify at the disgraced senator's trial, Charlie Angus — the New Democrat point man on ethics — was promising to be there to discuss his testimony.

With NDP Leader Tom Mulcair campaigning in Quebec, Angus was also expected to step into the renewed media spotlight to promote an NDP plan to fight

corruption in the embattled upper chamber.

Throughout the Senate scandal, Angus has been a gadfly to Harper. But his leader got things going during a morning appearance in Levis, Que. There is more at stake than just Wright and the \$90,000 he gave Duffy to repay questioned expenses, Mulcair told NDP supporters.

"Nigel Wright may be on the witness stand, but it's Stephen

Harper who is on trial," he said.

"Mr. Harper has time and again said one thing and its opposite during this whole Duffy-Wright affair. And when you say one thing and its opposite, it's quite obvious that both can't be true."

The Conservatives have been convicted of wrongdoing in the last three elections, Mulcair noted. "With a record like this, Canadians can't let Stephen

Harper get away with it again."

Trudeau, however, suggested that instead of looking at all the mistakes made, he wants to move in a different direction — focusing in particular on the economy and the middle class.

"What we see right now is Ottawa is going to be entirely focused on what's coming out of that trial; people are going to be talking about all the things that went wrong with the Harper gov-

ernment," Trudeau said.

"I'm going to be talking about how we fix Canada and how we build a strong economy for the future of Canadians."

The Conservatives are out of steam and out of ideas, and Harper's plan is to stick with a program that hasn't worked, Trudeau said. "When a plan isn't working, the real risk is sticking with the status quo."

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A Manitoba man's phone case. RCMP/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Man hands over gun-shaped iPhone case

A Manitoba man has turned his cellphone case over to police after it caused panic on a crowded public beach.

The black case, shaped like a handgun, was tucked in the waistband of the man's shorts on Sunday while he was at Grand Beach north of Winnipeg.

RCMP were called and responded with real rifles and Tasers. They found the man sitting on the beach with family members, including children, and quickly determined he was only armed with an iPhone.

Sgt. Bert Paquet says the 34-year-old man was questioned and voluntarily gave officers the case for disposal.

He will not face charges.

"While the individual knew this item to be a fake gun, our officers did not," said Paquet.

"Some people do not realize the risks associated with openly carrying or displaying these replicas in a public space. Anyone who owns this type or similar devices should safely dispose of them immediately."

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IN BRIEF

Ex-PQ minister named Peladeau's chief of staff

Former Parti Québécois cabinet minister Pierre Duchesne is the new chief of staff to party leader Pierre Karl Peladeau.

The ex-Radio Canada reporter was minister of

higher education between 2012 and 2014 when he lost his seat in the general election and the Liberals swept to power. Duchesne, 50, has been a strategic adviser to the PQ since June 2014.

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JULIAN ASSANGE

Officials run out of time over charges

Swedish officials said Wednesday they're making last-minute attempts to quiz WikiLeaks founder Julian Assange over sex crimes allegations, most of which are set to expire by next week, but that he would still be wanted for questioning on accusations of rape.

Assange, who escaped a Swedish arrest warrant by taking refuge in the Ecuadorian embassy in London in 2012, is wanted on two allegations of sexual molestation and one of unlawful coercion which expire by Aug. 18 unless he is formally charged. A fourth allegation of rape is valid until 2020.

The 44-year-old Australian, who has denied the allegations, says he has no intention of going to Sweden for fear of being extradited to the United States because of an ongoing investigation into WikiLeaks' dissemination of hundreds of thousands of classified U.S.

documents.

Karin Rosander, spokeswoman at Sweden's prosecution authority, said Assange and British authorities have agreed he be questioned in London but that prosecutors have not heard back from the Ecuadorian Embassy.

The Ecuadorian embassy said in a statement Monday that "on no occasion has any representative of the Kingdom of Sweden presented themselves at the embassy in relation to the Assange matter."

One of Assange's Swedish defence lawyers, Thomas Olsson, said that even if all three cases are dropped "it will not change anything for Assange" as the arrest warrant remains in force.

"I believe the case should have been closed long ago because the evidence is weak," Olsson said.

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IN BRIEF

\$6M settlement in case of worker cooked with tuna

Bumble Bee Foods has agreed to pay \$6 million US to settle criminal charges in the death of a Los Angeles-area worker who was cooked in an oven with six tons of tuna. The settlement includes a \$1.5 million US payment to the family of Jose Melena, who died three years ago in a 270-degree oven.

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Colorado may ban 'candy' name on marijuana treats

Edible marijuana products in Colorado may soon come labeled with a red stop sign, according to a draft of new rules released by state marijuana regulators. The state, one of the first to legalize recreational marijuana, might also ban the word "candy" from edible pot products such as suckers or gummy chews.

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Croatia's Prime Minister Zoran Milanovic addresses a news conference in Zagreb after ISIL sympathizers circulated a gruesome image Wednesday on video. GORAN STANZL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Beheading of Croat captive stuns nation

TERRORISM

Surveyor was abducted by ISIL in Egypt last month

In Tomislav Salopek's hometown Vrpolje in Croatia, residents refuse to believe Wednesday's reports that the 30-year-old surveyor appears to have become the first Croat to be beheaded by the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant (ISIL).

"No, no, no," Goran Blazanovic kept repeating as he sat in

the local cafe filled with pale and quiet guests who were switching from one news portal to another on their smartphone screens, looking for signs that would give them hope that the reports were mistaken.

"Nothing is proven," Blazanovic insisted. "We hope that he will come back home to his wife and children."

Salopek, who was working with France's CGG Ardiseis, was abducted on July 22 in Egypt and appeared last week on an ISIL video as a hostage demanding Egyptian authorities to free "Muslim women," a term referring to female

Nothing is proven ... We hope that he will come back.

Goran Blazanovic

Islamist prisoners detained in a sweeping government crackdown following the 2013 military ouster of the country's Islamist president.

Then on Wednesday, ISIL sympathizers circulated an image on social media that appeared to show Salopek's beheaded body lying on de-

sert sand with a black ISIL flag and a knife planted next to it. The picture or the information about his execution could not be officially verified.

Croatians had hoped diplomacy and reason would prevail and that their citizen would return home to his family, far away from the conflict he had nothing to do with.

Addressing the nation, Croatian Prime Minister Zoran Milanovic urged people not to expose their children to the gruesome image and said "we cannot 100 per cent confirm it is true but what we see looks horrific."

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RESEARCH

Octopuses display human-like behaviour

The octopus already is an oddball of the ocean. Now biologists have rediscovered a species of the sea creature that's even stranger and shares some of our social and mating habits.

Biologist Rich Ross at the California Academy of Sciences said a batch of octopuses from Central America just didn't fit the loner profile scientists had drawn for the rest of the species.

While most octopuses live alone, coming together briefly for dangerous mating, couples of this species mate beak-to-beak in a romantic way and stay

together for a few days. But it's more than sex. These octopuses clean food waste from their dens. They twirl their arms the way an old-timey movie villain works his moustache.

The Larger Pacific Striped Octopus — not much bigger than a tennis ball — was found almost 40 years ago off the coast of Panama. Other scientists wouldn't believe it was a separate species so its discoverer, Arcadio Rodaniche, gave up and the species was never formally described or named.

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A male Larger Pacific Striped Octopus closes in on a shrimp. COURTESY ROY L. CALDWELL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Iran pushes for peace

SYRIA Deadly attacks surge ahead of diplomatic meeting

Iran's foreign minister, who negotiated his country's nuclear deal with world powers, discussed ways of ending Syria's civil war with President Bashar Assad in Damascus on Wednesday, as attacks surged around the Syrian capital, killing at least 36 people and wounding dozens.

Stepped-up rebel shelling and government airstrikes came just a few hours before Mohammad Javad Zarif arrived in Damascus, where he discussed a four-point proposal Iran wants to offer to the United Nations as a way out of Syria's grinding conflict.

That plan, according to a Lebanese politician familiar with the proposal, includes a ceasefire and a power-sharing government that would keep Assad in the picture, at least for now, pending internationally supervised elections.

Syrian state-run TV quoted

Zarif as saying after talks with Assad their discussion focused on ways of ending the Syrian crisis.

But the day's surge in violence underscored the improbability of efforts to bring about a truce anytime soon in a conflict that has killed more than 250,000 people, displaced half the country's population since March 2011 and allowed the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant (ISIL) to flourish. Assad has lost control over more than half the country by some estimates — much of it now ruled by warlords and militias.

The rebel shelling, which apparently was meant to send a message that Zarif was not welcome in Syria, began around the morning rush hour in Damascus. More than 50 shells struck the city, including in the upper-class neighbourhoods of Abu Rummaneh, Baramkeh and Qasaa.

Five people were killed and dozens were wounded, according to Syrian state TV and the Britain-based Syrian Observatory for Human Rights.

The Local Coordination Committees, an activist group, said the government air raids killed 35 people and wounded dozens.

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GREECE

Greeks pledge ship to house refugees

Locked in a sunbaked football stadium without food, drinking water or sanitation, about 1,000 refugees queued for hours on Wednesday to register with Greek authorities on the island of Kos, which is now at the forefront of a humanitarian crisis sweeping the financially broken country.

After sending police reinforcements, the government promised to charter a commercial ship to house up to 2,500 immigrants

on the island where authorities have been overwhelmed by a spike in arrivals.

Alekos Flambouraris, an aide to the prime minister, said the vessel would be used to provide shelter and check documents.

The order to charter the ship was given after violence broke out in front of a police station on the holiday island, where migrants were lining up to receive temporary residence documents. A football stadium is currently

being used to provide shelter for about 1,000 people.

Greece has become the main gateway to Europe for tens of thousands of refugees and economic migrants, mainly Syrians fleeing war, as fighting in Libya has made the alternative route from north Africa to Italy increasingly dangerous. Nearly 130,000 people have arrived since January on the eastern Aegean Sea islands from nearby Turkey — a 750 per cent increase over last year.

Tourism-reliant Kos, which received 7,000 migrants last month and has seen tourist arrivals drop by about seven per cent this year.

Unlike past immigration crises in Greece since the early 1990s, this time the refugees don't want to stay. Their destinations are wealthy countries such as Germany or the Netherlands, and all they seek from Greece is temporary travel papers to continue their trek through central Europe. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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IN BRIEF

Gunmen slay four officers at restaurant in Pakistan
Gunmen killed four policemen Wednesday in southern Pakistan, a day after the army said it had arrested a senior member of the Pakistani Taliban and foiled a plot to attack Independence Day celebrations later this week.
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Ikea stabbing suspect was denied residency permit
Officials said Wednesday the main suspect in a knife attack that killed two people at an Ikea store in central Sweden was due to be deported soon, after his application for a residency permit was rejected last month.
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EUROZONE

Greece, creditors assess bailout details

Details of Greece's latest bailout package were being pored over across Europe on Wednesday as Prime Minister Alexis Tsipras insisted the agreement with creditors would put "a definitive end" to the country's economic uncertainty.

Tsipras has called an emergency session of parliament to discuss and vote on the bill, which includes painful tax hikes and spending cuts, in time for a confirmed meeting Friday of the eurozone's 19 finance ministers in Brussels.

The so-called eurogroup has to sign off on the bailout deal — as do a few parliaments — so the funds on offer can be released in time for Greece to avoid defaulting on a big debt repayment to the European Central Bank on Aug. 20. The three-year bailout is worth about 85 billion euros (\$93 billion). To restore trust and rebuild confidence they say has been damaged over the past few months, Greece's creditors have insisted that lawmakers approve about 40 pieces of legislation by Thursday, and meet several other conditions by October.

While all technical aspects of the deal have been finalized, it still needs the approval of the other 18 eurozone nations' finance ministers.

Greek PM Alexis Tsipras.
YORGOS KARAHALIS/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



The 2,500 dismissals at Kraft Heinz involve employees in sales, marketing and finance. PAUL SAKUMA/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE

Layoffs for Kraft Heinz

CUTBACKS

Executives expect to save \$1.5 billion in annual costs

Kraft Heinz says it is cutting about 2,500 jobs in the U.S. and Canada as part of its plan to slash costs after the food companies combined.

Spokesman Michael Mullen says the affected workers were to be notified in person. About 700 of the cuts were coming in Northfield, Ill., where Kraft had been headquartered.

The company would not specify where other cuts were taking place but said that all the jobs were salaried. It said none of the job cuts involved factory workers.

The Kraft Heinz Co. said it had a total of around 46,600 employees before the cuts. That included about 1,900 in Northfield.

When the two companies announced the merger in March, Mullen said Heinz had Canadian operations in Toronto and St. Marys, Ont., as well as a small office in Leamington, Ont.

Kraft had around 2,000 Canadian employees, and according to a filing with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, three distribution centres and two manufacturing and processing facilities.

The job cuts are not surprising, given the reputation of the company's management on Wall Street.

CEO Bernardo Hees had already overseen cost-cutting at Heinz since the ketchup maker was taken over in 2013 in a prior partnership between 3G and Berkshire. That means the cuts announced Wednesday mostly affect people on the Kraft side of the business.

Executives say they expect to save \$1.5 billion in annual costs by 2017.

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Air Canada sees record-breaking quarterly profit

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metro's election explainer

This vote could decide the future of the Senate. Here's where the leaders stand.

The trial of Senator Mike Duffy on charges of fraud, bribery and breach of trust has many wondering if it's time to clean house at the upper house. Senators are not elected, but appointed by the Governor General at the direction of the prime minister. They serve until age 75, most of their work is taken up by rubber-stamping the House of Commons' bills. Historically this plum post was used to reward friends and allies of the party in power. It doesn't take a psychic to divine that this system of patronage — though it's baked into the Constitution — will fall further out of favour in the future. It's enough to get leaders to peer into their crystal balls. Here's what they're seeing.

CONSERVATIVES: ABOLISH

The PM is a harsh critic of the Senate, saying 21st-century legislatures ought to be elected. But he says major reform, without consent of the provinces and messy constitutional negotiations, is "off the table." Harper hasn't appointed new senators for more than two years, in a bid to get provinces to initiate change. If that doesn't happen, and he's re-elected, he says he may have to resume appointments to get bills passed.



NEW DEMOCRATS: ABOLISH

Dippers are the most voracious critics of the Senate. They want to see the chamber consigned to history ASAP — even if means getting the provinces on board to pass a certain-to-be-contentious constitutional amendment. The NDP's "Roll up the red carpet" campaign literature notes with derision that all but a handful of the senators Harper appointed before his moratorium were major donors to the Conservative Party. The party also decries that the upper house sits for only 72 days a year at a cost of \$116 million to taxpayers.

LIBERALS: REFORM

Liberal Leader Justin Trudeau says the NDP's and Conservatives' prophesying about a future with no Senate is "cynical," "dangerous" and "unrealistic." He argues reopening the constitutional debate — which has been divisive and dragged on for years in the past — could reinvigorate Quebec separatists. Instead, he wants an independent, nonpartisan, "merit-based" panel to appoint senators, a move critics say wouldn't adequately address the problem of patronage.

The election explainer is dedicated to keeping urban Canadians informed ahead of the Oct. 19 vote. Look for it in this space throughout the campaign. Let us know what needs explaining: readers@metronews.ca

ROSEMARY WESTWOOD

metroview

To hear Trump tell it, any fierce woman must be menstruating

If there's one thing Americans will never see under a Trump presidency, it's an apology.

That hasn't stop menstruating women from hounding our orange-topped celebrity politician du jour on Twitter, giving him a play-by-play of their periods, tagged #periodsarenotaninult.

Earlier this week, Trump faced an onslaught of attacks from fellow Republicans after he suggested Fox News anchor Megyn Kelly asked him pointed questions during a debate because she was PMS'ing.

Trump, favouring truth talk as ever, told it like he sees it: Any woman acting fiercely is obviously on her period.

He's since denied the implications of his words. But regardless, it shows how much women's monthly bleeding still freaks everyone out.

During Thursday's debate, Kelly pressed Trump on his views of women (he's called Arianna Huffington "a dog," others "slobs" and "fat pigs").

Trump, in response, called Kelly a bimbo on Twitter. He told CNN she was a "light-weight" trying to act tough "reading her little script."

"You could see there was blood coming out of her eyes. Blood coming out of her ... wherever."

And that is what it takes to truly ostracize the Republican Party. Republicans slammed Trump "with a vigour not seen

during previous controversies during his presidential bid," to quote CNN. He was even disinvited to a major Republican presidential event.

Not for calling Mexicans rapists. Not for his other demeaning comments about women (see above).

Apparently, mentioning a woman's bleeding is the lowest a Republican can go.

I would have considered period activism the province of young feminists learning that periods aren't weird or shameful. But menstrual blood still makes international headlines: Whether you're a marathon runner who got a Q & A with Cosmopolitan for bleeding while running, or you're an Instagram user getting shut down for posting photos of bloody sheets — periods are news.

There are a few ways to slice it. Maybe the spectre of menstrual blood remains extra gross or frightening. Or maybe, "period" is a misogynist code word for women's supposed lack of emotional control.

Sure, what Trump said was despicable. But most of what Trump says is despicable, mostly because he's direct about some despicable points of view other politicians prefer only to imply.

I don't have an answer to this one, but I am wondering: Why are periods the trump card?

Some health apps work, but do your homework

THE SCIENCE

Stephanie Orford



This September, the federal government is aiming to help you start your fall regimen properly with a new health incentives app called Carrot Rewards.

The \$15-million tool, created by Canadian developer Social Change Rewards, provides cash-value incentives for Canadian users who make healthy lifestyle choices (cooking healthy recipes, joining fitness groups).

Carrot is just one of more than 100,000 smartphone health apps out there — and the market is growing. They can be a great way for people to monitor their health, and in some case they can help motivate users to identify issues and treat

them.

Calorie-tracking apps like My Fitness Pal help users track their energy inputs and outputs, and indicate whether they're meeting a few key nutritional needs such as protein and vitamin intake.

Clue, a period-tracking app, allows users to record the timing of their period, their pain and other physiological observations, and helps women estimate when they're most likely to get pregnant.

But not all health apps are equal before science.

Last year a study published in breast-cancer journal The Breast found that the vast majority (about 85 per cent) of apps dedicated to breast health were not regulated or created using professional input.

And an earlier study found little evidence at testing to the efficacy of

295 cancer apps.

A 2013 study of women's health apps found that eight out of 10 weight-loss apps were effective at helping their users achieve weight loss, but found little evidence that other types of health apps were effective.

Smartphones are a powerful tool to collect and analyze personal health data inexpensively. They can potentially be used to flag health problems and provide potential preventive solutions.

And they can pre-empt health-care costs incurred by patients who would otherwise put off visiting a doctor until their health conditions were too severe to ignore.

But just because it's a slick smartphone app doesn't mean it's backed by good science. Before you download the app, do the research.

Smartphones are a powerful tool to collect and analyze personal health data inexpensively ... But just because it's a slick smartphone app doesn't mean it's backed by good science.

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Behind the covers of Chip Kidd

GRAPHIC DESIGN

Working on Japanese books brings a new way of seeing

Famed graphic and book designer Chip Kidd has been designing covers for Japanese writer Haruki Murakami's books at Knopf for 20 years.

He's visited Japan and has been inspired in part by what he found in the jimbocho anti-

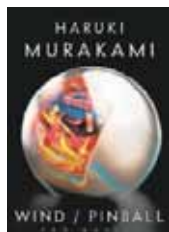
quarian book section of Tokyo. "I could spend a couple of weeks there," he told Torstar News Service in an interview, "because you see everything from traditional Japanese bookmaking, then how they were influenced in terms of design by the West ... It's a whole other way of visually thinking. We are left to right and they are right to left."

Here, some more of Murakami's book covers, with comments from Kidd on inspiration, challenges and successes.

TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE



Book designer Chip Kidd in his studio. CONTRIBUTED



Wind / Pinball

I work with a photo-grapher and image-maker named Geoff Spear and we worked on The Wind-Up Bird Chronicle and we worked on Kafka On The Shore. You know he's sort of a magician: I say (to him), "You know I want a giant pinball and we're going to see a reflection of this particular pinball machine in it" and so he did it and it was really great. And we go back and forth and hone it. And then I realized after it was accepted that the image of the pinball machine, of the rocket ship is on the left, and the clear, just the sheen of the chrome is on the right. But the title is Wind/Pinball. But when you look at this it's Pinball/Wind. Then I thought, no, this is perfect, because if you read the image right to left (as you would in Japanese) it is Wind/Pinball.



The Strange Library

The brief, as it were, on The Strange Library was to make an extremely visual book out of what is essentially a short story and could be conceived as a short story for a younger audience. You know I also have to say that I'm so thrilled that the Canadian publisher Random House Canada has used my designs because they didn't have to. They could have created their own. But they went along with just about everything that I've worked on ... and I really appreciate it.



1Q84

The 1Q84 jacket almost didn't happen because they couldn't find a bindery that would be able to (handle it). The hard cover had an image with a semi-transparent jacket overleaf. It would have had to be done by hand as opposed to by a machine and that would have killed it for obvious reasons — we're talking over 100,000 books. So Andy Hughes (our head of production) found a bindery who was willing to take it on as long as we would give him a quarter inch play in either direction. Sometimes the title lined up perfectly and then sometimes it would shift to the left or to the right. But even if it shifted then you'd get this kind of nice white drop shadow and it wouldn't impede the readability of it.



Colorless

The trickiest by far was Colorless. Our head of production (at Knopf) is a guy named Andy Hughes who's ... just really, really brilliant at figuring out how to get these designs mass produced. But I think with Colorless ... I had a special excitement because the book debuted at No. 1. That was a huge symbolic milestone for him, plus I'm very proud of the design. It's strange, it's abstract, it initially doesn't really appear to mean anything although I was hoping that potential readers would be enamoured of it as an object first, then as you read it you figure out why the design looks the way it does. Then it makes more sense and takes on more meaning.



The Wind-Up Bird Chronicle

It's hard to pick (a favourite) I think that the way we were able to do Wind-Up Bird was really for me, because I was able to involve again my friend Geoff Spear and the cartoonist Chris Ware and blend their work together on this giant wind-up bird. And the way that works with the whole interior was for me a sort of revelation about how to design a novel starting with a deck and then going into the inside and how they work with each other.



After Dark

(My trips to Japan) influenced me a lot especially in terms of just getting to understand the visual culture. There was a Murakami novel called After Dark and I was in Tokyo when I was working on that. I took a photo of a pachinko parlour ... and it was late, it was like midnight or one in the morning. So I took a picture of it and it had these funky glass doors that slid closed just as I was taking the picture. And I got angry. But it turned out that's what we ended up using because it looked so interesting, it looked more interesting than if the doors had been open.

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Not just a game

BLACK CHALK

New novel explores dark side of friendly competition

Emily Laurence
Metro in New York

As a puzzle and crossword maker, it's no surprise Christopher Yates enjoys a good game. But his novel *Black Chalk* takes the idea of friendly competition to a whole new level implying that life itself is a game. "Why else do you think we call ourselves the human race?" the book asks.

"There's a quote I like from Gore Vidal: 'Every time a friend

succeeds, I die a little,'" Yates says. "Some people say it's a great quote and really expresses something true. Other people are absolutely mystified. They can't understand the idea of being jealous by someone else's success."

Truth and consequences

The book is about six friends studying at Oxford University who make up a game. At first the consequences of losing a round are silly. But over time, the consequences become life-altering, at times deeply humiliating and ultimately change the players forever.

"I came up with the idea for the very game with a friend when I was at Oxford," Yates says. "We never played the game, which is probably fortunate. But to a large degree, writing this book was me im-

agining what would happen if we did play the game."

Plot puzzle

The structure of the book jumps between present day and the college days in 1991. The narrator is a recluse living in the East Village in New York, and at times, the reader doesn't actually know which one of the characters is narrating the book.

Yates uses various other

tricks to keep the reader guessing the whole way through.

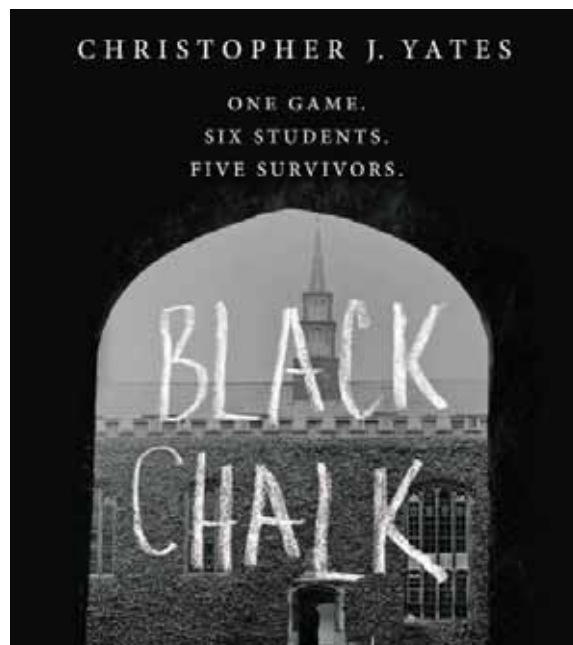
"I did a lot of those things as a way to entertain myself while I wrote it," he says. "I think I almost turned the book into some sort of puzzle, even a puzzle for myself, and I had to work out how to make the different pieces work together to make a satisfying structure for the reader."



Cause and effect

Yates says the way a person

plays a game says a lot about their psyche. "Almost any time competition gets involved, it can reveal something about the people who are playing it," he says. "Almost any game can descend into casting a bad light on human behaviour."



Author and crossword puzzle writer Christopher Yates looks at how games can reveal who we are in *Black Chalk*. HANDOUT

+ INSIDER INFORMATION

Expert crossword puzzle maker and author Christopher Yates shares his tips for solving the hardest crosswords

1. Three-letter words

"When you make up a crossword puzzle, you are often forced to use obscure three-letter words," Yates says. He suggests Googling "crosswords three letter words" to build a base of the most common ones.

2. Look to the suffix

Yates says if a clue ends in -

ing, there's a good likelihood the answer ends in -ing as well. Same goes for -ed. "Just pencil in (the suffix) and see if it helps. It just may point you in the right direction and help you solve some other clues connected to the answer word."

3. Take a break.

Sometimes the best thing you can do is put down the crossword and do something else. "Your brain is still working," he says. Chances are, when you sit back down, an idea will pop in your head.

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Truth is stranger than fiction

BUCK 65

Hip-hop artist and CBC host releases memoir

BOOKWORM

Sue Carter



Driving into Mount Uniacke, a rural community 40 kilometres outside of Halifax, you will encounter a wooden sign welcoming visitors to the "The Home of Buck 65."

Rich Terfry (a.k.a. Buck 65), Mount Uniacke's most famous son, earned the keys to the town: first, as a major-league hopeful with a lightning-fast arm, then as a Juno Award-winning hip-hop artist, a CBC Radio

host, and now author. And yet the release of Terfry's memoir, *Wicked and Weird: The Amazing Tales of Buck 65*, published by Doubleday Canada, has the Nova Scotia native a little nervous about the response back home.

"I wanted to capture the spirit of the place and do it justice, but the tricky part is that a lot of the stuff that happened there was never talked about," he says. "And now I'm talking about it,

for everyone to see."

Revealing "a hometown fuelled by secrets" is nerve-racking for sure, but the stories come with a warning. In the book's foreword, Terfry declares that his "imagination remains more reliable than my memory," a sly warning to readers not to believe everything on the page.

Terfry carries out on the weird promise alluded to in the title. In the first half of the book's

coming-of-age story, there are Paul Bunyon-esque circus freaks and baseballs thrown so hard they fly into outer space, holes dug halfway to China that swallow up a man.

For those familiar with Buck 65's autobiographically inspired lyrics or his yarn-spinning broadcasts on the CBC Radio program *Drive*, it's no surprise that the memoir is fuelled by his "taste for the fantastical."

"I got this idea in my head a long time ago that I never wanted to be perceived as boring. No one is ever going to say that guy's a snooze," he says. "I grew up in a family where storytelling was a big part of the culture. Stories became tall tales, and the fish caught become this big," he says, stretching his arms.

But underlying the personal mythology are the darker thoughts of an introverted young man growing up in a rough town, coping with the death of his beloved but volatile mother, a heavy-drinking father, adolescent infatuations and a promising baseball career cut short by physical injury.

The second half of the book reads as something of a confession, recalling Terfry's breakout as a successful music artist, a retreat to Paris and, most importantly, his relationship with ex-wife Claire Barest — who sang on several tracks on his album *Secret House*



Against the World, and whose breakup with inspired his 2014 album *Neverlove*.

In the past when Terfry has publicly opened up — first through his music (his song *Ice*, about his mother's death, led to a record deal with Warner Music), and later through social media (earlier this year he admitted on Facebook to creating "a false image of myself"), he's discovered fans willing to listen to his words and empathize.

"It's been scary, and it still is," Terfry says. "But the response has been so good. Opening up to people I've been given so much positive reinforcement, and as time goes on, I felt safer and safer doing it. So it's something that I continue to do." Sue Carter is the editor at *Quill & Quire* magazine.



With *Wicked and Weird: The Amazing Tales of Buck 65*, Rich Terfry continues in his confessional tradition. HANDOUT

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Hay novel shaped by referendum

ELIZABETH HAY

Divided loyalties are at the heart of His Whole Life

Strong personal regrets and a fascination with how Canadians have been shaped by the 1995 Quebec referendum played a role in the genesis of Elizabeth Hay's new novel, *His Whole Life*.

The story centres on Jim, a young boy who desperately wants a dog.

Hay says she now wishes she got her own son a dog when he really wanted one.

"So I thought in this book I could give the boy a dog and I would have him be extremely attached to Canada," says Hay during a telephone interview from her Ottawa home.

"But it wouldn't be simple because the boy would have a Canadian mother and an American father and there'd be this kind of cross-border division of loyalties in his life."

Hay, who lived in New York with her American husband for six years, dedicates *His Whole Life* (McClelland & Stewart) to their son and daughter, "reluctant Canadians."

"My son was four and my daughter was seven when I dragged everybody to Canada (in 1992), what for me was

home, and I don't think my kids have ever forgiven me for robbing them of New York," she says.

Hay also wanted to write a book in which the mother and son are dominant and the father is a fifth wheel who, in the end, has the last laugh.

As *His Whole Life* opens, Canadian expat Nan and her American husband George are travelling from New York with their son to a lake in eastern Ontario, as they do every summer.

Ten-year-old Jim asks his parents what is the worst thing they've ever done, a question that resonates throughout the novel.

Nan eventually figures out what her son needs to hear. The reader learns about the boy's "worst thing," though Jim never reveals it to his mother.

"And then the question itself takes a turn," Hay says. "What if the worst thing is also your best thing?"

"This is a personal question for Nan: If something that she's done, which at one time she thought was actually a good thing to do, in hindsight is really one of the worst things she's done."

"And it plays on the political level, too, in terms of (former prime minister Pierre) Trudeau in his dealings with Quebec. In bringing the Constitution home without getting Quebec's approval, did he do more harm than good?"

In using the referendum — in which Quebecers voted on whether to form a sovereign state — as a backdrop, Hay portrays a family that's staying together and falling apart at the same time that Canada was in turmoil.

She's long been fascinated by the drama of the 1995 referendum and the whole nature of divided loyalty.

"How often in a country's history do you have a situation where you get to really understand how much you care about a country?" she says.

Hay finds herself caught up in the current political drama as federal party leaders campaign for the Oct. 19 vote.

"I'm worried about the result of this one, but it's fascinating to follow."

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GABRIEL GARCIA MARQUEZ ASHES MAKE THEIR WAY HOME

An artist in Bogota sits in front of his paintings for sale, including one of Colombia's late novelist Gabriel Garcia Marquez, right, along with paintings of Mexican artist Frida Kahlo, centre, and independence hero Simon Bolivar. The cremated remains of Nobel Prize-winning novelist Gabriel Garcia Marquez are making their return journey home to Colombia and starting in December will be exhibited in the Caribbean city of Cartagena where he began his writing career.

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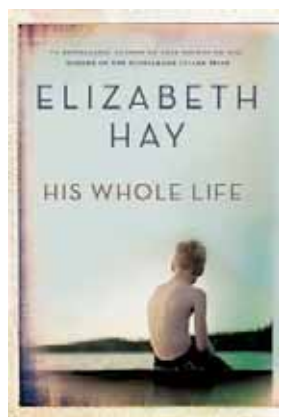
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Sexting partners have better IRL sex, study says

Couples who send each other sexually suggestive or explicit images by phone, commonly known as "sexting," have better sex, according to a study presented to a psychology convention in Toronto.

The practice is often portrayed as risky, yet American researchers found it is widespread and could actually help couples improve communication and increase intimacy.

"These findings show a robust relationship between sexting and sexual and relationship satisfaction," said Emily Stasko of Philadelphia's Drexel University.

She presented the results of an online survey of 870 Americans aged 18 to 82 at the American Psychological Association's 123rd Annual Convention in Toronto on Saturday.

More than eight out of 10 respondents said they have sexed.

Three-quarters of them sent images to a boyfriend, girl-

IT'S NOT ALL BAD

Past studies have focused on the negative side of sexting.



friend, husband or wife, and associated sexting with better relationship satisfaction.

That increased gratification, however, did not carry over to singles surveyed, nor to respondents who said they were in a "very committed" relationship.

Despite its potential to en-

hance communication between partners, past studies — and recent headlines — have focused almost exclusively on negative outcomes from sexting.

Some of the best known examples include news last year about phone hacks that led to the leak of nude photos of celebrities including actress

Jennifer Lawrence, pop icon Rihanna and top model Kate Upton.

In another notorious sexting case, U.S. lawmaker Anthony Weiner quit the House of Representatives after confessing that he used social media to send sexually explicit pictures of himself to a number

of women.

But such highly publicized negative outcomes said Stasko, fail to take into account the upside of sexting, which, when used by a loving couple, can increase the "potential positive effects of open sexual communication with a partner."

AFP

IN BRIEF

Study says it's not just one thing that makes you hot

In a quest to determine why certain people exude more sex appeal than others, a new study from Queen's University in Kingston, Ont. suggests it's a question of overall appearance.

They asked participants to rate the attractiveness of an individual's way of moving and figure. Next, they blended one person's movement with another's body shape. The hybrid walkers were ranked as less attractive than the researchers had predicted.

The research team says it's time to reexamine studies that have broken down attractiveness on a feature-by-feature basis.

"They can also be used to formulate advice to people who are working on improving their own appearance," says Dr. Nikolaus Troje of Queen's University. "What works for one person may not work for another one. If in doubt, just be yourself." AFP



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Dr. Nikolaus Troje, researcher

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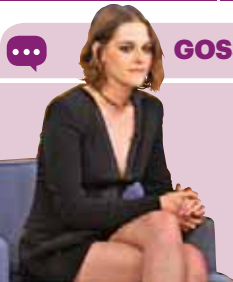
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GOSSIP BRIEFS

Stewart not talking about sexuality

During her chat with Nylon magazine, former Twilight star Kirsten Stewart was asked to define her sexuality, but she'd rather not if that's cool.

"I don't feel like it would be true for me to be like, 'I'm coming out!'" she says. "I think in three or four years, there are going to be a whole lot more people who don't think it's necessary to figure out if you're gay or straight. It's

like, just do your thing." NED EHRBAR/METRO HOLLYWOOD

Smith calls out homophobia

Sam Smith took to Instagram this week to put one particular follower that had been ha-

assing him on blast.

"This genuinely doesn't offend me, (because) I'm way too (thick-)skinned when it comes to this kind of s—," Smith writes. "But I just wanted to share this with everyone, so you can see how

homophobia is still so present in our society." The account in question, named @gaysam-smith, has five followers and zero posts, with an account description that bashes Smith with homophobic language.

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RELATIONSHIP

Tabloids faze Faris

Anna Faris and Chris Pratt are uncomfortably adjusting to life in the tabloid glare now that Pratt is one of the biggest movie stars in the world. For instance, Faris wasn't too thrilled by a Star magazine report this summer claiming she was worried about Pratt cheating on her with Jennifer Lawrence while they shoot a new movie together. "For us it was like, 'What the heck?' This has been blindsiding to us. We

have an incredible relationship. It's been weirdly stinging," she tells Fox411.



"(That) stung a little bit harder than I thought it would. I have always kind of believed that part of the rumours of celebrity couples were sort of true — because they had never been a part of my life. I thought 'Maybe there is a kernel of truth to that.'"

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HOMES

Swift not buying a castle near her prince

This week in Taylor Swift rumour debunking: The Shake it Off singer is not — I repeat, not — buying a castle in the Scottish countryside to be closer to boyfriend Calvin Harris' family. The castle in question, the Tower of Lethe-

ndy, would cost about \$7.2 million but put her just an hour's drive from Harris' family homestead.

But alas: "I'm not actually buying a castle," she tweeted. So there you have it.

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Olsen twins are having a bad week

LAWSUIT

Unpaid intern takes Dualstar to task over brutal hours

IN HOLLYWOOD

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Not cool, ladies. Not cool. Mary Kate and Ashley Olsen are having a less-than-awesome week, as the former child stars are being sued by a former intern, Shahista Lalani, for being over-worked with no pay.

Lalani is leading a class-action lawsuit against the

twins' company, Dualstar Entertainment, where she worked as an intern in 2012.

"I was doing the work of three interns," Lalani says of her time under the designer for the Olsens' The Row label, according to the New York Post. "I was talking to her all day, all night. Emails at night-time for the next day — like, 10 p.m. at night. It was, like, 100 degrees outside. I'd just be sweating to death. I probably carried, like, 50 pounds worth of trench coats."

Sounds like someone forgot to watch The Devil Wears Prada before starting her internship.

"You're like an employee, except you're not getting paid," she added. "They're



The twins' company, Dualstar Entertainment, is staying mum over allegations. ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES

kind of mean to you. Other interns have cried. I'd see a lot of kids crying doing coffee runs, photocopying stuff."

That ... sounds about normal for an internship in the fashion world. Lalani does say that the Olsen twins themselves are totes cool, though: "They're really nice people. They were never mean to anyone."

Oh, and in a great example of corporate shade, a rep for the company simply says, "Dualstar is not aware of this (lawsuit)." Burn.

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What they're asking

The average sale price of a Canadian home rose eight per cent in May, to more than \$450,000 for the first time ever, according to the Canadian Real Estate Association. Here's a lineup of properties that can be purchased for \$400,000 to \$500,000.

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Calgary

This detached bungalow at 1448 Northmount Dr. NW sold at press time above list price. The Brentwood neighbourhood was recently voted by Calgary's Avenue Magazine as the No. 2 community to live in. This four-bedroom home is situated on a large, sunny lot. The entryway is finished with terracotta and leads to an open-plan living room with fireplace. The huge kitchen has plenty of storage and there's a large dining room. It's within walking distance to schools, shopping, the C-Train and several malls. Bryon Howard is a sales representative for Re/Max House of Real Estate, 403-589-0004.



\$459,900

Halifax

With four levels of living space, this executive home is located on a large lot in the heart of Bedford. The floor plan features plenty of open space and nine-foot ceilings. The kitchen features granite countertops and ceramic flooring. The second level has a large master suite with ensuite, and a generous spare bedroom and office. There's a fully finished basement, built-in sound system and wine cellar. Listing agent is Thomas Bagogloo from the Bagogloo Team, Re/Max nova, 902-830-9006.



\$464,900

Vancouver

This well-maintained, two-storey townhome in Burnaby features an open-concept living and dining room and has a well-appointed kitchen with granite counters, undermount sink and plenty of storage space. It's a convenient central Burnaby location, adjacent to Broadview Park and close to transit and amenities. The unit has an upstairs laundry and comes with one parking stall and a storage locker. The bedrooms are separated from each other for privacy. Listing agent is Angela Reeves with Royal LePage West R.E.S., 604-897-7033.



\$399,900

Winnipeg

This is an 1,807-sq.-ft. Cabover Family home, in the North Meadows district. Listing agent Chris Kenny says it was custom-built for its current owners in 2006 with no expense spared. The basement was finished professionally by the builder to ensure consistent quality and flow throughout. There's a gas fireplace and an oversized two-car garage. The fenced backyard has a deck and garden shed. There are four large bedrooms throughout with a sunny kitchen and living room. Kenny is a sales representative with Re/Max Professionals, 204-899-4858.



\$457,000

Ottawa

Here's a four-bedroom home in the Riverside Park South area. Listing agent Emad Fadel says that it's a very well-maintained home located in a desirable family-oriented neighbourhood. It features new ceramic tiles and hardwood floors throughout. There are new kitchen cabinets and countertops, a main-level laundry, a recreation room and a landscaped, fenced private yard. The location is close to a park and playground. Amenities are nearby as well as public transit. Fadel is a sales representative with Royal LePage Performance Realty, 613-733-9100.



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Toronto

Here's a condo suite right downtown, with a one bedroom plus den layout. It's a 710-sq.-ft. floor plan with a 250-sq.-ft. terrace. The suite has unobstructed views of the lake, with floor-to-ceiling windows and a Scavolini kitchen. Included is a parking spot and locker. It's walking distance to the Distillery District and the Yonge subway. The suite includes a stainless steel appliance package and the amenities include visitor parking, concierge, and a rooftop terrace. Listing agent Alex J. Wilson is with Re/Max Condos Plus, 416-996-5181.



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Edmonton

For sale is an upgraded two-storey home in the Brintnell neighbourhood, located on a quiet crescent, with an open-concept main floor with nine-foot ceilings. The kitchen features a breakfast nook and a dining area. Upstairs, the master bedroom includes a walk-in closet and ensuite. The basement has been soundproofed and roughed-in for home theatre. The lot features professionally finished landscaping and there's an oversized, double garage with an extended driveway. Jeremy Amyotte is a sales representative with Re/Max Elite, 780-232-7170.

Sleep in style

The best in fall 2015 bedding has hit the stores. Here are a few of my favourite ensembles each teamed with two paint colours (all Benjamin Moore paint swatches). Even if you only paint the one wall behind your bed, you'll create a focal point in your bedroom and make your new bedding stand out.

DESIGN CENTRE

Karl Lohnes



Soothing bedding palettes deserve similar wall colours so take your colour cue directly from the bedding.

Barbara Barry Poetical Duvet Cover, \$200, BedBathAndBeyond.ca

LEFT: Got a dark room? Choose a light reflective colour like **Silver Mink #1586**

RIGHT: Create a cosy, cocoon-like feeling with **Plymouth Brown #HC-72**

Only working with one colour? Then either choose the exact colour of the bedding to highlight your walls or an opposite colour to complement.

Plum & Bow Rust Medallion Duvet Cover, \$89, UrbanOutfitters.com

LEFT: Rust and teal are a winning and fashionable combination. **Bella Blue 720**
RIGHT: Deep rust has returned from the 1970s and this is the one! **RedRock 2005-10**



When decorating around boldly coloured bedding, find the most neutral (and easiest to live with) colours for the walls.

Chromatic Circle Duvet Cover Set, \$175, Simons.ca

LEFT: Colourful bedding can be swayed towards a masculine style with **Hearthstone 1601**
RIGHT: All colours pop when put against **Raisin Torte 2083-10**



When working with solid colours, look to the fashion runways for fun accompanying colours to paint the walls.

Moncton Duvet Set, \$100, EQ3.com

LEFT: Grey and citron create a rich, brassy wall colour to help wake up grey tones. **Ivy League 516**
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Technology invades classroom

Jennifer Taplin
For Metro

Binders — check. Pencils — check. Mobile tablet — check.

This September, all high school students in the West Vancouver School District are strongly encouraged to bring their devices to school. School-owned devices will be available for students who don't have their own.

"Students bringing their own devices has really been an evolution over the last few years — we started in younger grades and it is now moving through out high schools," said Chris Kennedy, superintendent at West Vancouver Schools.

And just because students have devices in school, doesn't mean they'll always be using them, Kennedy said. It will depend on the classroom activity.

There are arguments to the contrary — distraction and theft — but these are issues young adults are going to have to learn some time, it might as well be in high school.

"Students with digital devices is about being citizens in our modern world," Kennedy said. "Some want to look to see if

+ ENGAGEMENT

Karsenti's research showed devices made classroom management more difficult for teachers, but there was an upside: Many teachers surveyed said it makes them better teachers because they are constantly walking up and down the desks and keeping the kids engaged instead of lecturing from a seat in the front of the class.

devices improve scores on standardized tests — we don't. We know that the world our students participate in is digitally rich, so we want to support them in this world at school."

For years Thierry Karsenti, a University of Montreal professor, has researched the use of technology in classrooms.

"There's a big myth in education that teachers often think students are so good with technology they don't need to teach them how technology works," he said. "The research that is being conducted shows that is completely false."

Students are really good at gaming and socializing on fa-



High school students in B.C. are being encouraged to bring their own devices to class this year. SHUTTERSTOCK

cebook, but they're not very good at using technology to search for information, use a word processor or a dictionary.

"All these skills in 2015 have to be mastered in school," he said.

The idea of BYOD (bring your own device) is very popular, but it has a downside: students are bringing a variety of devices to school making it difficult for teachers to keep the class together, Karsenti said. It's eas-

ier for teachers if the school supplies the kids with all the same type devices.

Studies show devices create more learning in the classroom, but it takes time Karsenti said. The first year is usually rough, as kids are highly distracted.

Karsenti's latest research surveying thousands of Canadian students found after a while, students figure out how to let go of distractions.

"After three years what we found there is a significant impact on learning," he said.

Plus, if students learn to look past distractions in high school, they'll be better off and more focused in university.

"We have to learn to live with the device in high school or sometimes before that because if we don't do that, who is going to teach them, who is going to show them how to do that?"

The BYOD movement will be huge

Jim Slotta, a researcher at the University of Toronto, said getting students to bring their own devices solves several problems for schools. "If you're not going to be doing (BYOD), you're going to be in the minority of school boards and schools."

It solves the one-to-one computing problem that has plagued educators for decades: whether and when to stock the computer room with laptops.

"The problem is nobody knows what to do with the devices," he said. "They can have all the devices they want but no teachers out there who know what to do with a classroom full of kids with devices. That's going to be a stumbling block."

And into the future, Slotta expects there will be more peer-to-peer technology where tablets will communicate better and network within the classroom. Smartboards will be in more classrooms as will larger multi-touch tablets.

"Imagine a 35-inch tablet with three or four people around it touching it," Slotta said.

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Computers that make the grade



OPTIONS ABOUND

Need a new computer? Now's the perfect time for an upgrade

Marc Saltzman
For Metro

Good news for students (and parents) facing the computer upgrade: there's more options than ever and prices are at an all-time low. But choosing the right device can be overwhelming. Here some tips to help you decide.

Kindergarten to Grade 6

While not as popular as laptops, a desktop computer might still be best for younger students. They are less prone to damage and won't get banged up or dropped as easily as portable devices.

If you already have a monitor, consider the **Acer Aspire TC Desktop PC (\$499.99; bestbuy.ca)**, a small black tower you can store under a desk or table.

Powered by an Intel Core i5 processor and 8 gigabytes of system memory (RAM), this computer delivers speedy

performance, along with a large 1-terabyte hard drive.

Or perhaps a tablet is more up you (and your child's) alley, giving you peace of mind knowing the content is fun, appropriate, and centered around learning, personalization and creativity.

Designed for kids age 3 to 9, the **LeapFrog Epic (\$199.99; Walmart)** has a first-of-its-kind playable homescreen that grows with the child over time. Rather than small icons against a static background, kids can see their virtual town come to life, including changes in weather, day to night cycles, and daily surprises they can tap on.

An acronym for "Explore, Play, Imagine, Create," Epic is a 7-inch Android-powered tablet that offers LeapFrog-exclusive content, such as games, activities and ebooks that draw from some 2,600 skills. Along with the preloaded apps, a LeapFrog Store lets parents download age-appropriate content (and with no in-app purchases or third-party ads). A LeapSearch Browser offers specially curated websites for your child. Parents can also

set time limits and manage content access with parent controls.

Middle School, High School Students in Grade 7 through 12 spend more time away from home, so portability and long battery life are key features.

Apple's 9.7-inch iPad (from \$439; apple.ca) and the smaller **7.9-inch iPad mini (from \$329; apple.ca)** are lightweight, with a battery that tops 12 hours.

If you'd prefer a keyboard to type, consider Microsoft's compact **Universal Foldable Keyboard (\$99.95; microsoft.ca/hardware)**. It unfolds to a full-sized QWERTY keyboard, and can be simultaneously paired

via Bluetooth with two mobile devices — iOS, Android or Windows.

Speaking of Microsoft, parents might consider the **Surface 3 (from \$639.00; microsoft.ca)**, a light Windows-based tablet with integrated 3-position kickstand, full-sized USB 3.0 port and expandable memory (via microSD slot), including a 1-year subscription to Microsoft Office 365 Personal.

The optional magnetic **Type Cover keyboard (\$159.99)** or **Surface Pen (\$49.99)** are additions that are used to take notes.

Another example of a clever 2-in-1 is the **Asus Transformer Book T100 (from \$299.99; thesource.ca)**. When you no longer need the keyboard and trackpad, simply detach the 11.6-inch touchscreen and use it like a tablet.

Upgradeable to Windows 10 for free, other features include dual cameras, two USB ports and a memory card reader. Battery life tops 11 hours.

Post secondary

Mobility and power are important qualities to have in a computer for university or college students.



Starting at **\$1,099**, the **Dell XPS 13 (dell.ca)** is billed as the world's first laptop with a virtually borderless infinity screen, meaning the 13-inch screen

stretches almost edge to edge for a gorgeous LED picture.

The 5th Generation Intel Core processor delivers peak performance, along with great battery life,

lasting up to 15 hours. Windows 10 is a free upgrade.

Finally, if you can afford one, the latest **MacBook (from \$1549; apple.ca)** is slim and sleek.

The 12-inch LED-backlit Retina display delivers exceptional colour, contrast and clarity. While, the large trackpad supports time-saving gestures.

The OS X Yosemite operating system includes many

apps ideal for students, with access to the App Store for many more downloads to help out with studying, or those much needed breaks in between sessions.



Clockwise from top left, LeapFrog Epic (\$199.99; Walmart), Dell XPS 13 (from \$1,099; dell.ca), 7.9-inch iPad mini (from \$329; apple.ca), Surface 3 (from \$639.00; microsoft.ca), Acer Aspire TC Desktop PC (\$499.99; bestbuy.ca), Asus Transformer Book T100 (from \$299.99; thesource.ca), MacBook (from \$1549; apple.ca).

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The Mariners' 10th-inning win Tuesday ensured home teams won all 15 games on the same day for the first time in MLB

IN BRIEF

Police investigation costs Kane cover of NHL 16

EA Sports is pulling Patrick Kane from the cover of its NHL 16 video game after police confirmed last week the Chicago Blackhawks star is the subject of an investigation.

Kane was to be featured on the cover alongside teammate Jonathan Toews.

EA Sports says that "in light of the ongoing investigation involving Patrick Kane, he will no longer be a spokesperson for the launch of EA Sports NHL 16."

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Pospisil ousted in Montreal

John Isner used his big serve to down Vasek Pospisil 7-6 (1), 4-6, 6-3 and eliminate the last Canadian from the singles draw Wednesday night at the \$4.1 million US men's Rogers Cup in Montreal.

Isner, the 16th seed, advanced to the third round of the hardcourt Masters 1000 series event with his second win in as many weeks over Pospisil, a Vernon, B.C. native who fell to the six-foot-10 American last week in Washington, D.C.

Earlier, Kei Nishikori followed his tournament victory in Washington, D.C. last week with a 6-3, 6-3 win over Pablo Andujar.

And Rafael Nadal, coming off a win on clay at Hamburg two weeks ago, got his tournament started with a 7-6 (4), 6-3 win over Sergiy Stakhovsky.

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Iwakuma tosses no-hitter

Hisashi Iwakuma has become the second Japanese-born pitcher in major-league history to throw a no-hitter, leading the Seattle Mariners to a 3-0 victory over the Baltimore Orioles on Wednesday.

Iwakuma struck out seven and walked three in throwing the first no-hitter by an American League pitcher in nearly three years. He joins Hideo Nomo, who threw two no-nos, as the only Japanese-born pitchers to accomplish the feat.

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Jays power into 1st place

MLB

Bluebirds pass Yankees to make it 10 wins in a row

The Blue Jays moved into first place in the AL East this late in a season for the first time since the second World Series year of 1993 with a 10-3 win over the Oakland Athletics and a Yankees loss in Cleveland on Wednesday night.

But while fans may be celebrating, the Jays don't have long to enjoy, because they have a day game on Thursday and the Yankees visiting Toronto next.

"You can't put the cart before the horse," said winning pitcher R.A. Dickey, who pitched six innings and won his fourth straight decision. "We want the fans to get excited about it. We want people to really enjoy what's happening, because it's a long time coming for this city, this team and this country. But we can't afford to do that. We've got to keep things in perspective, still understand that we have 10 more games against the Yankees. We've got games against the Orioles, people trying to catch us. We're not going to be under the radar against anybody anymore."

Late in the afternoon, hours prior to the Jays' victory over the A's, the media's daily interrogation of manager John Gibbons concerned the seemingly huge difference in the methods separating his club's earlier 11-game



Chris Colabello of the Blue Jays is greeted by Josh Donaldson at home plate after hitting a three-run home run against the Oakland Athletics on Wednesday night in Toronto. TOM SZCZERBOWSKI/GETTY IMAGES

win streak and the 10-game streak currently active.

The earlier Jays' streak back in June had been propelled by a relentless offence, pounding teams into submission by a combined score of 88-40. This time around is more about pitching and defence, with a 55-20 run differential.

"We're winning some closer games, some lower scoring

games," Gibbons said. "Early on we really had to out-slug the other team to get a lot of those (June) wins, but the pitching has been that good. The starters are on some kind of roll. And the bullpen's different. It's a strong bullpen right now."

Then, after praising the pitching, the Jays bats proceeded to pound out 10 runs in the first two innings against A's starter

2X10

The Jays are the first AL team since the 1977 Royals to post two win streaks of 10 or more games in the same season.

WEDNESDAY In Toronto

10 BLUE JAYS
3 ATHLETICS

Aaron Brooks and his first line of relief, ex-Jays lefthander Felix Doubront. It's tough to find flaws when a team has a 10-game win streak and victories in 13 of its last 14 games.

One of the Jays' offensive concerns is that slugging first-base man/DH Edwin Encarnacion has

been nursing a strained middle finger on his left hand. He has missed three straight starts and took a short session of light hitting off a batting tee on Wednesday. The Jays were hoping he could take batting practice on the field in the day game finale Thursday against the A's and be ready for the weekend.

"Hopefully, he should be good tomorrow. I would think, hopefully," Gibbons said. "He made contact and he jarred it and it swelled up pretty good (on Saturday). So it's pretty sensitive."

TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

PARAPAN AM GAMES

Routliffe captures second gold medal in the pool



Tess Routliffe, pictured winning the silver medal in the women's SM8 200-metre individual medley on Tuesday in Toronto. DARREN CALABRESE/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Tess Routliffe won her second gold medal at the 2015 Parapan American Games as Canada continued its impressive showing in the pool.

The native of Caledon, Ont., swam to a gold medal in the S7 100-metre freestyle Wednesday, while teammate Sarah Mehin of Vernon, B.C., took silver.

It was Routliffe's third medal of the Games, but the 16-year-old said she's still learning how to win in the pool.

"Racing, you need to have experience," said Routliffe, a dwarf, who won in a Parapan

+ SHOT PUT

In athletics, Pamela LeJean, of Cape Breton, N.S., won the gold medal in F53-55 women's shot put with a Parapan Am Games record throw of 4.22 metres.

Am Games record one minute 15.46 seconds. "The experience helps you a lot because you know what you are dealing with, how to handle stress, how to handle competitors."

Routliffe won a silver medal at last month's IPC Swimming World Championships in Glasgow, Scotland. She was fourth in four other races.

"That gave experience on how to race and how to perform," said Routliffe, who also won gold in the 50-metre freestyle in Toronto. "This is just giving me even more experience."

Canadian swimmers won 53 medals (14 gold, 23 silver, 16 bronze) — second only to Brazil's 55 — up to Routliffe's latest victory. THE CANADIAN PRESS

RECIPE Roasted Corn and Split Pea Salad with Grilled Shrimp



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Prep time: 15 minutes
Cook time: 25 minutes

Serves 4

Ingredients

- 1/2 cup dry green lentils
- 2 corn cobs (husks removed)
- 8 oz large deveined and shelled shrimp
- 1 cup diced red bell pepper
- 1 cup grape tomatoes, sliced in half
- 2 small baby cucumbers, diced
- 1/3 cup diced red onions
- Dressing
- 3 Tbsp lemon juice
- 2 Tbsp olive oil
- 2 Tbsp maple syrup
- 1 tsp minced garlic
- 1 tsp jalapeno (seeds can be used)
- Salt and pepper
- 1/3 cup chopped cilantro or basil

Directions

1. In a pot of boiling water, cook lentils just until tender, about 25 to 30 minutes. Do not overcook. Drain and rinse with cold water. Add to serving bowl.
2. Meanwhile, grill or sauté corn cobs for about five minutes. Cool and cut kernels off corn. Add to lentils.
3. Grill or sauté shrimp until just cooked, about five minutes. Set aside.
4. Add bell peppers, tomatoes, cucumber and onions.
5. Dressing: combine all ingredients and pour over salad. Garnish with shrimp.

Nutrition per serving

- Calories 124
- Protein 12 g
- Carbohydrates 9 g
- Total fat 5 g
- Cholesterol 86 mg
- Sodium 87 mg

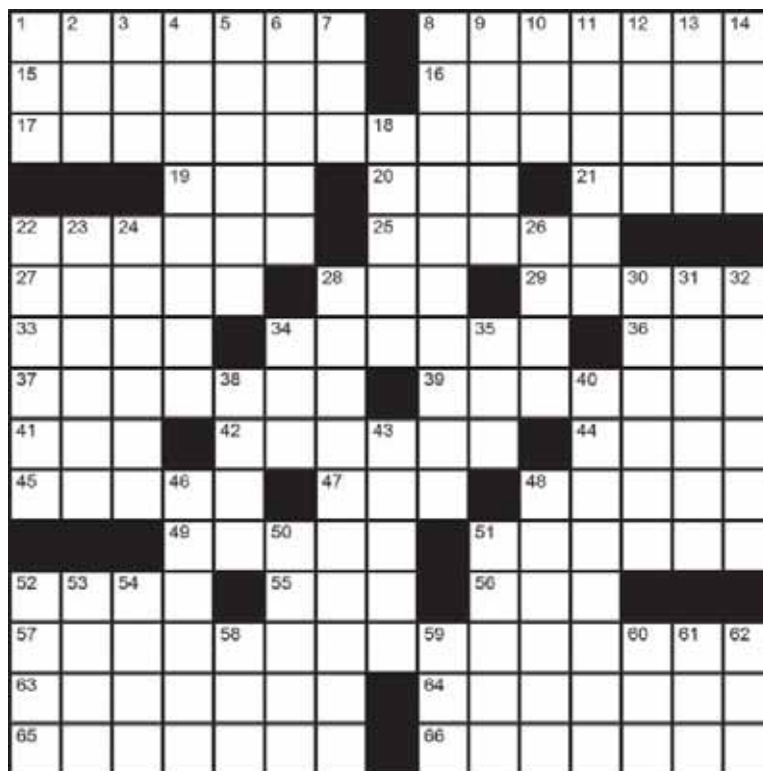
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CROSSWORD Canada Across and Down

BY KELLY ANN BUCHANAN

ACROSS

1. Way to serve apple pie: 3 mots
8. In an unflappable manner
15. Piano performance
16. BC: Skeena River city
17. Annual summer music festival in Ontario, Hav-e-lock _ _
19. Minute bit
20. Band's blaster, briefly
21. 'Kind' suffix
22. Kitchen storage area
25. Fern 'seed'
27. Brings up
28. Tilling tool
29. "Vegas" star Robert
33. Great Lake
34. Supper, cute-style
36. "O Sole _"
37. Phones a radio show: 2 wds.
39. Painter (born in 1541 on the island of Crete) of the Opening of the Fifth Seal: 2 wds.
41. Driver's 4x4, commonly
42. "Snow Falling on _" (1999)
44. Mountain stat.
45. " _ firma!" (Land!)
47. Oz Auntie's namesakes
48. Soup scooper
49. Space shadow
51. Holidays, slang-style
52. "Such a



shame."

55. Roman Myth: Household deity
56. Shakespearean suffix
57. Bit of "Delta Dawn" by Tanya Tucker who is on the line up for #17-Across: "...say he was a-meeting

you here today / To take you to his _ _ _ _ _?"

63. Debit card service in Canada
64. Emphasize, as an important point
65. Say again
66. Most brief

DOWN

1. Curve
2. Zodiac sign
3. Prefix with 'puncture'
4. " _ Gypsy": 1973 hit for #8-Down and "Wild Eyes"
5. Aquatic mammals
6. Mr. _ Pride and

Prejudice gent

7. Cathedral city
8. Band from Calgary set to play at #17-Across (Trivia! Their hits include the song at #4-Down and "Wild Eyes")
9. Musical pace
10. Royal symbol

11. Clothing creases ceaser
12. Concern
13. Hotshots
14. Sheltered sides
18. Mr. Bateman
22. Chopped ahead of time
23. Get the drink to fizz
24. Hammer user
26. Ladder step
28. Deterrent/progress obstruction [var. sp.]
30. Shoes collector Ms. Marcos
31. Actress Ms. Tyson
32. Horse feet
34. Flatline
35. Elles opposites
38. Con
40. Those with their arms extended trying to grasp something
43. Canada's motto: ' _ _ _ _ _ Usque Ad Mare'
46. _ apple
48. Make frothy with soap
50. Belly swelling
51. Chevrolet car since 1953, cool-style
52. Mideast chieftain, variantly
53. Street for Lois?
54. Industrious insects
58. Mr. Gershwin
59. Baby bug
60. Freelancer's encl.
61. Chess pieces, e.g.
62. Nevertheless

* IT'S ALL IN THE STARS by Sally Brompton

Aries March 21 - April 20

This may be the most productive time of the year for you but before you take on a new project make sure you know what is involved and what you will be expected to invest in the way of time, energy and money.

Taurus April 21 - May 21

The less you reveal about your true intentions today the better. You might be tempted to brag about your plans but if you do you are likely to regret it. Keep them to yourself.

Gemini May 22 - June 21

Focus your attention on one specific thing today. It may not be easy but it must be done if you want to get an important task finished before the weekend.

Cancer June 22 - July 23

Don't be tempted to change your ways just to keep up with the latest fads and fashions. Yes, of course, the old ways are not always the best but, on this occasion they are the safest.

Leo July 24 - Aug. 23

No matter how hard you try to engage certain people in conversation today you won't succeed. Don't take it personally — they have so many things on their plate at the moment.

Virgo Aug. 24 - Sept. 23

It may seem as if you have been working hard for no good reason but don't give up on it yet because some kind of breakthrough is imminent. If you turn back now you will never know what might have been.

Libra Sept. 24 - Oct. 23

Something you have been looking forward to may have to be pushed back, but later you will realize the delay was a blessing in disguise. More preparation is needed.

Scorpio Oct. 24 - Nov. 22

It will annoy you when a friend or work colleague gets something wrong because they have not done their homework. Let them know in subtle ways that they have let themselves down.

Sagittarius Nov. 23 - Dec. 21

Some of life's lessons are easier to learn than others. Bear that thought in mind today. Any lessons you learn now will pay for themselves before the month is through.

Capricorn Dec. 22 - Jan. 20

Be cautious when doing business with people you don't know and cannot completely trust. Someone who seems honest may be trying to trick you. Don't you dare fall for it.

Aquarius Jan. 21 - Feb. 19

Your patience may be wearing thin with a certain individual but don't lose your temper. It could be that they have serious problems they are trying to hide behind a brave face.

Pisces Feb. 20 - March 20

There is no point blaming yourself for something that went wrong — it was bound to happen. Start rebuilding. This time, make sure the foundations are strong.

CONCEPTIS SUDOKU by Dave Green

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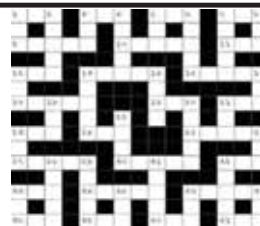
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